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*In re* patent application of  
TSUCHIYA, Masayuki *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/114,285

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For: RESHAPED HUMAN ANTIBODY TO HUMAN INTERLEUKIN-6 RECEPTOR

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING SUBSTITUTE SEQUENCE LISTING**  
**IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Sir:

This is a supplemental response to the Official Action mailed October 13, 1999, in connection with the captioned application. A prior response was filed on April 13, 2000. Although applicants believe that no additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. In addition, if it is determined that any further extensions of time are required for filing this amendment, applicants expressly petition for such extensions. Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 17, line 8, after "VLPM-1" delete "(Residues 21-43 of SEQ ID NO: 29 and  
SEQ ID NO: 117, respectively)" and insert -(Residues 1-107 of SEQ ID NO: 29)--;  
line 9, after "REI" delete "(SEQ ID NO: 120)" and insert -(SEQ ID  
NO: 114)--;